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RESOLUTION No. _____**

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Whereas, In 1961, the town of Vernon was getting ready to celebrate the Labor Day weekend;

Whereas, However, this Labor Day was a little different than the rest; this weekend began a tradition that has spanned 50 years;

Whereas, The first Labor Day event was known as a Vernon homecoming and consisted of food cooked by the local historical society, musical entertainment, and socializing around the courthouse;

Whereas, The homecoming was sponsored by Our Heritage, Inc., the organization that worked to preserve the historical riches of the Jennings County seat;

Whereas, More than 20,000 people have visited the Labor Day Antiques and Collectibles Market each year, giving the county's economy an enormous boost;

Whereas, The Labor Day Antiques and Collectibles Market is now a two-day event and is expected to draw nearly 40,000 people; and

Whereas, The event has continued to grow throughout the years and has gained recognition in the surrounding areas:



Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly acknowledges the
2 50th anniversary of the Jennings County Historical Society's Labor Day
3 Antiques and Collectibles Market and wishes the sponsoring group
4 many more successful years.

5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
6 Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Pat Rice,
7 President and Chairperson of the Jennings County Historical Society,
8 and Chris Asher, Vice President and Co-Chairperson of the Jennings
9 County Historical Society.

